

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of	:	
Torontali et al.	:	
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Art Unit: 1631	:	AMPLIFICATION OF SIGNAL USING
	:	A BEAD-BASED OLIGONUCLEOTIDE
Serial No.: 10/693,025	:	ASSAY
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Filing Date: October 24, 2003	:	

REPLY TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT

Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania
April 7, 2008

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

In reply to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment ("Notice") mailed March 5, 2008, applicants submit the following.

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